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MEMORANDUM FOR:

Deputy Director for Administration

Director, National Foreign Assessment Center

Deputy Director for Operations

Deputy Director for Science & Technology

Administrative Officer, DCI

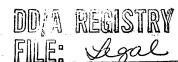
FROM

Maurice Lipton

Comptroller

SUBJECT

: Data Call on Support to Congress (U)



1. CIA's top managers are concerned that the Agency's components are spending an increasing amount of time servicing the Congress. To help in Agency planning, we need a better understanding of how much effort we are currently expending and how much Congressional demands on our time

are growing. We request your help in addressing these questions. (A/IUO)

2. We are requesting that each component (office/DDO division) estimate the work-years spent on Congressional support during FY 1979. Further, components which already have the information on hand should submit data for FY 1977 and FY 1978 as well. Other components should estimate the percent growth in their overall Congressional support effort from 1977 to 1979. We fully recognize that these initial submissions will be imprecise because in most cases no data currently exist. The specific categories of support listed on the attached form should be used whenever possible, but they are only illustrative and serve primarily as a reminder of the types of activities to be included. Please use other categories if they better serve to describe the type of support provided. (A/IUO)

3. We expect that similar information will be required in the future, probably no less frequently than annually. It is suggested that you establish an informal reporting system to aggregate such work-year data for future reporting purposes. (U)

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Attachment: As Stated

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ESTIMATED WORK-YEARS IN SUPPORT OF CONGRESSIONAL REQUIREMENTS

TYPE REQUIREMENT

WORK-YEAR BY FISCAL YEAR

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- 1. <u>Congressional</u> Budget Submission (Not all budget-related work)
- 2. Congressional Budget Hearings and Responses to Questions
- 3. Reprogramming Actions Requiring Congressional Approval
- Congressional Requests for Studies, Support to S&I Teams, and Preparation of Responses
- 5. Reserve Release or Presidential Findings Briefings or Hearings
- Overseas Support for Visiting Congressmen and Staffers
- 8. Congressional Liaison, Comments on Legislative Proposals, etc.
- 9. Other: Specify

TOTAL

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^{*} If available, otherwise estimate percentage increase in total effort for 1977 to 1979.